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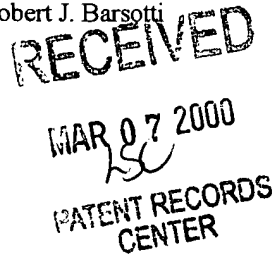
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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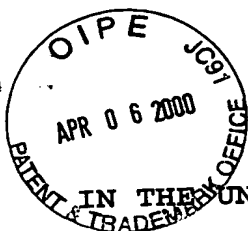
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EXAMINER:

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POLYMERIC FILMS AND RIGID  
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Attention: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed February 28, 2000 (a copy of which is attached), enclosed is a Declaration for the above-referenced application. Please charge the \$130.00 surcharge fee applicable for filing the Declaration on a date later than the filing date to Deposit Account 04-1928 (E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company). If the fee is insufficient or incorrect, please charge or credit the balance to the above-identified account.

Respectfully submitted,

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